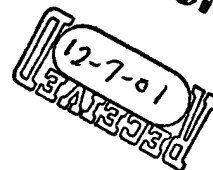


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Please amend Claim 7 to read as follows:

In particular, please substitute the below claim for the indicated pending claim with the same number:

7. (Once Amended) A gamma correction circuit comprising:

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a lookup table that stores gamma corrected data corresponding to a plurality of gamma correction curves, wherein the lookup table receives input signals that select a set of gamma corrected data from the lookup table, wherein a first portion of the input signals selects a particular gamma correction curve of the plurality of gamma correction curves, and wherein a second portion of the input signals selects the set of gamma corrected data from the particular gamma correction curve.

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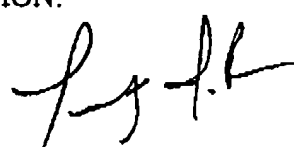
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